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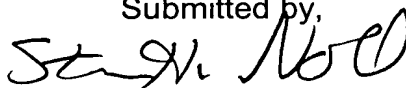
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S I R:

15 Applicants herewith submit two sheets (Figs. 1-6) of drawings for use
for publication purposes for the above application. The drawings embody
the changes made in Amendment "A" Prior to Action filed simultaneously
herewith.

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In response to the Notification dated June 18, 2001 (copy attached), Applicants

herewith submit a signed Declaration for the above application, together with a check

for the statutory fee in the amount of \$130.00.

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Applicants herewith request approval of the drawing changes in each
15 of Figures 1, 2 and 5, as shown on the drawing copies marked in red
attached hereto.

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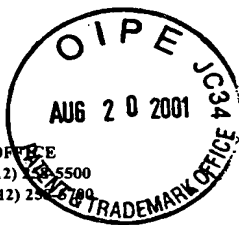
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AMENDMENT "A"

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SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

■ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
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TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$0.00

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- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ is attached.
- ☐ A check for \$ _____ accompanying IDS under 37 CFR 1.97(c) is attached.
- ☐ A check for \$ _____ and Petition for Consideration of IDS under 37 CFR 1.97(d) is attached.
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